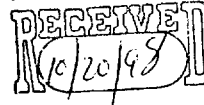


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Gentlemen:

This is to inform you that as of September 1998 we have entered into commerce herbal dietary supplements with Structure Function claims as follows:

Cardiaforce Tonic - Hawthorn Supplement Helps Maintain: Healthy cardio-vascular function and heart circulation. The ingredients are: fresh Hawthorn berry and Lemon Balm leaves extract with 15% alcohol.

Cardiaforce - Hawthorn Supplement Promotes: Healthy cardio-vascular function and heart circulation. The ingredients are: extract of fresh Hawthorn berry with 48% alcohol.

Echinaforce tablets - Echinacea Supplement Supports Healthy immune system and natural resistance during winter season. Ingredients are: Echinacea purpurea herb and root, lactose, potato starch, magnesium stearate

Echinaforce - Echinacea Supplement Supports Healthy immune system and natural resistance during winter season. Ingredients are: Echinacea purpurea herb and root extract with 65% alcohol.

Gingkoforce - Ginkgo Supplement Benefits memory, mental clarity and alertness. Ingredients are: fresh Ginkgo leaves extract with 62% alcohol.

Milk Thistle Complex - Herbal Supplement Supports Healthy liver function, natural cleansing of toxins. Ingredients are: extract of milk thistle seed, fresh dandelion root and herb, boldo leaves and peppermint leaves with 61% alcohol.

Prostasan Saw Palmetto Supplement - Supports Healthy prostate function and normal urinary flow. Ingredients are: Saw Palmetto berry extract with 63% alcohol.

St. John's Wort Complex Herbal Supplement - Supports Soothing relaxed feeling, normal restful sleep and feeling of well being. Ingredients are: extract of fresh St. John's wort herb, Lemon Balm herb and Hops cones with 63% alcohol.

Valerian Complex Herbal Supplement - Supports Restful sleep, normal sleep patterns. Ingredients are: extract of fresh Valerian root and Hops cones with 62% alcohol.

Venaforce Horse Chestnut Supplement - Supports Healthy circulation through veins and stamina in legs. Ingredients: extract of fresh horse chestnut seed with 69% alcohol.

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Soothing Pine Syrup Herbal Supplement - Provides soothing comfort for the throat and cooling refreshment for dry mouth. Ingredients are: extract of fresh pine shoots, pear concentrate, honey, raw unrefined sugar.

Substantiation for these claims are in the files in my office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Eileen Sheets".

Eileen Sheets
Product Manager/Regulatory Affairs